

Between the Lines

IF EVER the world needed the spirit of Easter it's now.

EASTER EGGS possibly will serve to offset the sinister doings of a lot of "bad eggs" in Europe and elsewhere.

SENATOR WALLGREN has the "flu" in Washington, but the Bettler got it right here at home.

THROAT DOCTOR for Wendell Wilkie presented a bill for \$13,000, which is being protested. He might justly argue that Wendell did a lot of talking with that throat, and rolled up 22 million votes.

PRESIDENT has proclaimed the week of May 4 as National Employment week. Does he think defense strikes will be over by then?

TM NOT LOOKING for any trouble in the Pacific. If it does come it will be largely on our own initiative," said Senator Nye in a radio address here this week. The Senator may have something there!

CONTESTS usually are a matter of interest and sometimes of value, and we can think of none at present more interesting and valuable than that being carried on by two teams of the local JACL chapter to increase the membership.

QUEEN MIRIAM and two princesses came over the mountains this week to invite Seattle to the annual Apple Blossom Festival. Seattle will be there as usual, Queen.

SIX VETERANS of the Civil War held a get-together last Saturday in Seattle. About 75 or 80 years from now will there be reunions of veterans of World War No. 2?

NEGRO STUDENT at the College of Puget Sound in Tacoma has been elected president of the Sophomore class, he being the only one of his race attending the institution. Apparently this is a case where merit and character overcame racial prejudice, which is a hopeful sign.

JUDGE RONALD, second oldest judge in the United States still in active service, observed his 86th birthday this week by carrying on his work in the Superior Court as usual. It seems there is still a niche in the world for those who have passed the biblical limit of three-score and ten. Reminds us of Browning's Rabbi Ben Ezra: "Grow old along with me, the best is yet to be; the last of life, for which the first was made."

WE THANK the Washington State Taxpayers Association for boiling down to understandable language the amount of appropriations made by the recent session of the Legislature. The statement says: "State appropriations made for 1941-43 total about 261 millions, after vetoes. Included, however, are transfers of four and one-half millions and reappropriations of over 13 millions. Net appropriations for current 1941-43 purposes therefore total about 243 millions."

NO INSTITUTION has contributed more to the cultural life of the community than the public library. It has had a colorful history, and has been built up to its present status largely by the efforts of public-spirited men and women. The program to be carried out in observance of the 50th anniversary will serve to inform people generally, and the young people in particular, of the service that has been rendered. Possibly a background also will be laid that will enable this organization to render ever greater service in the future.

ADDIS ABABA, capital of Ethiopia, from which the Italians chased Emperor Haile Selassie several years ago, has been captured by British. Presumably the dusky monarch will be restored to his throne. Some time ago President Roosevelt promised that governments temporarily in exile as the result of aggression by Axis powers would be restored to their rights. Perhaps Ethiopia will lead the way. For our part we never could see that Mussolini garnered much glory in attacking a few thousand poor Negroes and driving them out of their home.

THE WEEK At A Glance

April 4, WASHINGTON.—Roosevelt charges reds run Allis-Chalmers strike.

April 5, NEW YORK.—Agreement reached to open some of the coal mines next week.

April 6, BERN, Switzerland.—Yugoslav government abandons Belgrade.

April 7, WASHINGTON.—Supreme Court again favors labor unions.

April 8, BERN, Switzerland.—Disaster said to loom for Allies in the Balkans.

April 9, SAN FRANCISCO.—Federal Court of Appeals scores examiner in Yakima labor case.

April 10, ATHENS.—Greeks destroy Salonika before leaving.

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Risen Christ Still Blesses Mankind, Say Speakers On Courier Broadcast

OUTLINE EASTER PLANS

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BERKELEY, Calif.—A sweeping vocational opportunities survey to gather data among the second generation is being undertaken by the University of California. The aim is to ascertain what progress graduates and former students have made in business and professional life, and to lay a foundation for further assistance.

The survey is being conducted by Herman A. Spindt, manager of Placement and Vocational Guidance.

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The second deals with vocational history, inquiring into past and present employment, income, reasons for any difference from vocational objective and effect of using the Japanese language.

The third section contains broad questions relating to vocational opportunities, as to difficulties met in obtaining employment, and related subjects.

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PRESIDENT SEEKS LAWS TO ACQUIRE FOREIGN VESSELS

Roosevelt Would Avoid Any Shortage In Shipping As Need Grows Greater

ACTION AIMED AT AXIS

WASHINGTON.—Taking over of foreign-owned vessels lying idle in American waters was forecast this week, with the request of President Roosevelt to the Congress for such authority.

This would include the Italian and German ships seized. An effort is being made to conclude a deal to purchase Danish ships.

The President said a growing shortage of shipping must not be allowed to defeat the armament program.

The government has allotted ten Coast Guard cutters to Britain.

By a deal with the Danish minister in Washington, the government has acquired air and naval bases in Greenland, which pushes this nation's defense right into territory occupied by Germany.

The President said he hoped for early liberation of Denmark from the invaders.

Billions In Appropriations President Roosevelt has signed the \$2,299,767,920 fifth supplemental defense appropriation bill. He also signed legislation appropriating \$1,414,626,833 to operate independent government agencies, including the Tennessee Valley Authority.

Reflecting the jump in employment in defense industry, the number of workers in occupations covered by the old-age and survivors-insurance system increased by almost 2,700,000 in the last three months of 1940, as compared with the similar period in 1939.

SAYS MOTHERS PROTEST

Mrs. Roosevelt said this week she had received many letters from mothers whose sons had been drafted into the Army, protesting strikes in the defense industry.

Germany's action against Yugoslavia and Greece was termed a "barbaric invasion" by President Roosevelt, in a statement issued by Secretary Hull. This government promised speedy aid.

AMERICAN AID TO THESE COUNTRIES MAY BE SENT IN SEIZED DANISH SHIPS, IT WAS FORECAST HERE.

The pulp industry in the South is expected to be investigated by a congressional committee. The Pacific Northwest is keenly interested. It is said that through a contract system in the South, wages are low as 10 cents an hour as paid Negroes, while the Northwest must pay from \$4.60 to \$14 a day.

THE AMERICAN MEDICAL ASSOCIATION AND THE MEDICAL SOCIETY OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA HAVE BEEN CONVICTED BY A JURY IN THE FEDERAL DISTRICT COURT OF VIOLATING THE SHERMAN ANTI-TRUST ACT.

Appeal will be taken to the District Court of Appeals, it was said, and in event of adverse decision the case will go to the Supreme Court. These organizations are charged with interfering with the work of the Group Health Association, a co-operative of federal employees. Defense says medicine is not a trade.

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Chapters Might Aid Survey At Berkeley

BERKELEY, Calif.—A comprehensive survey of vocational opportunities is a major project of the Nisei Democratic Club, and may be carried out in collaboration with the Japanese American Citizens League, it was announced at the last meeting.

A letter was received from the San Francisco chapter looking on the plan favorably, provided the same survey form can be used by the two organizations. Further developments are expected.

Highlights on the recent second generation survey, its findings and methods, were explained to the club at the last meeting by Charles Kikuchi. Discussion followed, which brought out many interesting points.

Reports on the progress of the anti-covenant movement in the Berkeley Hills were presented. The university students as organizations have dropped the investigation, but individuals are carrying on.

A petition is being circulated among property owners condemning the covenant as un-American. Among those who have signed it are Chester H. Rowell and Allan Blaisdell. Those signing the petition are reported in the minority, so that the covenant may win. Lynn Hames told the meeting the majority favored the covenant.

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KINDER TREATMENT FOR ALIENS LOOMS

Definite Trend Indicated In Revision Of Hobbs Bill; Discretion Broadened In Committee; Plan Appeals Board

ATTORNEY GENERAL LEADS MOVE

NEW YORK.—Although comparatively little anti-alien legislation has been undertaken in the present session of the Congress, there appears to be a trend in such bills as have come up. This possibly is due to the attitude of Attorney General Jackson, who recently pointed out the need of revision in such laws. The need for emergency laws has operated.

The Common Council for American Unity points out that the most significant development lately was the report of the House Judiciary Committee to the House on the Hobbs bill in a modified form. This bill, and other legislation, seems to point to a trend of more consideration.

FEW SUPPLIES GO OVER BURMA ROAD

Lack Of Management Called One Trouble; Stores At Both Ends Pile Up

NEW YORK.—Transportation of supplies over the Burma Road has not been very successful, according to a writer in the current issue of the Far Eastern Survey.

One of the causes apparently has been lack of proper management. Now the Chungking Government has asked John Earl Baker, former director of the American Red Cross in China to take charge, and he has accepted. The writer says:

One-Third Of Capacity Mr. Baker's appointment may have far-reaching consequences. At present the Burma Road is functioning at about a third of its capacity. Stocks shipped from abroad, including purchases under the United States loan agreement, have piled up at Rangoon while commodities ready for export are accumulating in the interior.

Moreover, the situation is becoming increasingly serious as the cutting of the Indo-China railroad and Japanese attempts to stop smuggling through the coastal ports have left China with only two routes to the outside world—the Burma Road and the highway to the U. S. S. R.

San Gabriel Elects Its Third President

SAN GABRIEL, Calif.—Henry Kuwabara is president of the San Gabriel Valley JACL, after four months of confusion. He is the third man to hold the office in that time. George Iwai was elected in December, but resigned in February. Then Shig Hashimoto was chosen, but resigned recently.

A new copy of the Master Calendar has just been issued by those in charge. Among the events slated soon is the flower show, April 19 and 20. A Nisei Night program comes later.

Eiji Tanabe Chosen Nisei Week Manager

LOS ANGELES.—Eiji Tanabe, former two-term president of the local chapter of the JACL, has been named chairman of the annual Nisei Week Festival. Mrs. Grace Yonezu has been appointed chairman of the committee in charge of the chapter benefit slated for some time in May.

The cabinet has called a meeting for April 30

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WHAT EFFECT DEBTS?

The Congress having enjoyed an Easter week vacation will re-assemble, with the problem before it of providing higher taxes to help meet the mounting demand for revenue as the result of the national defense program.

The debt and tax question has been somewhat obscured recently by the fevered reparations seeking to produce war materials, and by strikes in the defense industries.

The Department of Commerce recently issued a report to the effect that the combined federal, state and local tax collections rose from \$66 per capita in 1932 to \$109 per capita in 1940.

Taxes alone cannot be depended on to meet the rapidly expanding calls on the national treasury, but the Congress is making a start.

In the excitement of war and defense reparations, we are likely to forget that the bills must be paid if the government continues on its present course.

But, returning to the central idea, it does seem that the control of the Atlantic Ocean is vital to a continuation of the American way of life.

FOREIGN VIEW OF AMERICA

Recently it was pointed out in this column that strikes in the national defense industry might be used in Axis countries as propaganda, seeking to convince the world that America is not a united nation.

The prediction was twice verified this week. A radio broadcast from Berlin Sunday said that the Berlin radio was assuring the people of that country that the strikes in defense industries here not only were slowing up aid to Britain, but that they indicated the people of this country were not behind the government's program.

In the first place, the strikes can and must be settled. The lag in defense will be temporary. They do not necessarily mean that labor is against aid to Britain.

But a statement by Virginio Gayda, fascist editorial spokesman, does raise a question of serious proportions. He asserts that the aid-to-Britain program threatens to start a social war in the United States, and that the evidence is to be found in the present wave of strikes in the defense industries.

These strikes are all creating conflicts which arise from social, political and moral reasons, and are opening up a national crisis, which may develop still more dangerously with the entrance of racial reasons.

Gayda argues that the requested wage increases are causing a higher cost of production and higher prices. He concludes that higher salaries once achieved do not turn downward again without new social conflicts.

Of course, if one calls the recent depression a social conflict, perhaps Gayda is correct. Yet our country has weathered the storm. There is no doubt that the present national defense program will increase the national debt, and that much higher taxes must be imposed.

The Italian editor's final conclusion is that these higher prices and salaries will be a burden on the American economy in the post-war period.

Therefore, if we are to escape economic disaster in the post-war period, it behooves the people of this country to stand shoulder to shoulder now and assure escape from economic disaster by achieving a military victory.

CONTROL OF THE ATLANTIC

Among the various reasons being advanced as to why this nation should afford all possible aid to Britain and assure a victory in her present struggle is that control of the Atlantic Ocean is vital.

There are many other points made by Mr. Lippmann, but we think he has stated the basic principle in the above paragraph. About the only point we can think of to be added is this: The political and social principles of the United States and Great Britain are diametrically opposed to those of present-day Germany.

Mr. Lippmann points out what he considers the mistaken policy of this government which has led to the present-day situation. For one thing, he says: "The United States insisted on the rupture of the Anglo-Japanese alliance, and the isolation of Japan."

After pointing out the various steps for disarmament, Lippmann concludes that the situation today is due to the fact that the English-speaking people let the protecting and regulating sea power disintegrate.

But, returning to the central idea, it does seem that the control of the Atlantic Ocean is vital to a continuation of the American way of life. For this reason the people, perhaps unconsciously, seem to be backing aid to Britain, and praying that it will stop short of armed intervention on our part.

NATURALIZATION LAWS

The present national emergency has brought about a new viewpoint on the part of federal officials in administering the immigration and naturalization laws.

Another bill by Rep. Kennedy of New York would waive first paper requirements to those who lived here ten years, and would waive education requirements for those 60 years of age.

There are other provisions in the Hobbs bill looking to a revision of the laws which seem to indicate an effort is being made to bring about a general overhauling, now badly needed.

NINETY YEARS AGO

If one goes back to fundamentals, the City of Seattle had its beginning 90 years ago this week, so it is not an upstart community, after all.

This was the Denny party. As it turned out, the party landed at Alki Point November 13, 1851. That is the date usually accepted as the foundation day of the city.

The settlement struggled along with more or less success, but did not become a world city until the Klondike gold rush. Since then there has been no halt in progress, and another era seems to lie just ahead.

AMERICANS ALL--IMMIGRANTS ALL

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NARRATOR--John Peter Zenger is in jail for libel.

1ST VOICE--(Reads proclamation to sheriff.)

2ND VOICE--Why is Zenger in jail?

ANSWER--He libelled the royal governor.

3RD VOICE--How did he libel him?

ANSWER--He said the governor deposed all judges who disagreed with him.

4TH VOICE--But isn't it true?

ANSWER--The greater the truth the greater the libel.

NARRATOR--The German printer--backed by descendants of Scots and English comes to trial.

1ST VOICE--I come to defend John Peter Zenger.

JUDGE--Disbarred.

2ND VOICE--I come to defend John Peter Zenger.

JUDGE--Disbarred.

HAMILTON--I come to defend John Peter Zenger--and you shall not dispar me.

MURMURS--Andrew Hamilton.

The Scot . . . From Philadelphia . . . His wife is a Jewess . . . He's serving without fee . . . The greatest lawyer . . .

JUDGE--Mr. Andrew Hamilton--your years and your great repute speak for you--but the court cannot accept--

HAMILTON--May it please

the court, neither my years nor my repute would comfort me if I permitted this case to pass without giving it what aid I can.

The charge is libel . . . The charge is libel and the truth of the libel cannot be denied. I propose then--to contest the principle of the greater truth--the greater truth--for if it be truth--there is no libel.

Nay, I will not be silent. For gentlemen of the jury, this is not the cause of a poor German printer, who came to the New World to escape tyranny--It is a cause which may, in its consequences affect every free man who lives in America. It is the best cause--it is the cause of liberty . . .

. . . and I make no doubt that your upright conduct this day will lay a foundation . . .

VOICE--In the case of John Peter Zenger, how say you?

FOREMAN--We say "Not guilty."

NARRATOR--Scot and German and English--and a jury of other descents as well--upheld freedom of the press in America.

and sent the English ideal back to England enlarged and fortified so that English observers declared Andrew Hamilton's defense of the free press in America was not law, but greater than law--A free press prepares the way for a free country.

Joining in the Easter parade will also be Miss Patricia Mori whose outfit is strikingly smart--she will wear a sage green dress under a tuxedo front black cape, and a black straw hat.

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LIGHT FROM CROSS COMFORTS WORLD

(Continued from P. 1, Col. 2)

Will you please tell us what some of the outstanding events will be on Easter Sunday?

Easter Day Services

APEL--Long before dawn next Sunday morning, which is Easter Sunday, throngs will be gathering at the traditional places for the three great Easter Sunrise Services.

The speaker at Volunteer Park on Capitol Hill, addressing the throngs who gather there on devry laws will be the Rev. Dr. Ralph E. Knudsen, pastor of University Baptist Church. The Rev. W. C. Bowman is chairman of the Volunteer Park Easter Committee. This will be the 15th consecutive year that the service is held at the Volunteer Park.

Those who gather in the bright air of dawn at Washelli, North End, will hear the Easter message proclaimed by the Rev. Dr. Warner Muir of First Christian Church who, as general chairman of the city-wide observance, was drafted as speaker by the Washelli committee. The Rev. Wm. H. French is chairman.

Will Begin At Sunrise

The Rev. Walter G. Smith of West Side Baptist Church will speak at the service at Forest Lawn, West Seattle. The Rev. C. L. Williams is chairman of this service.

All three services--the two city-wide observances at Washelli and Volunteer Park, and the district gathering in West Seattle--will begin at the official moment of sunrise, 5:23 a. m. and all three services are sponsored by the Council of Churches.

TURA--That's splendid. Now, Waka, will you tell us what will be on your program for the city-wide Easter breakfast?

Easter Breakfast Plans

WAKA--I'll be happy to, Tura. First of all it will be held in the Lippy Hall of the Central Y. M. C. A. on Sunday morning beginning at 7 o'clock. Many will be coming directly from the sunrise services to the breakfast, and we are anticipating a capacity attendance of 325 young people from all Protestant denominations.

For this, our fifth annual breakfast, we have planned a program which we hope will be of inspiration and benefit to everyone attending. The Rev. Dwight C. Ramage, formerly of Cashmere, Wash., and now field secretary of the Council of Churches, will be our speaker. I'm sure that will be good news to those who have come to know him through various young people's activities.

Of course, no program is complete without music, so, at the breakfast, we shall have a chance to express ourselves as well as listen to others. Henry Ito, who is an active member of the Japanese Methodist church and a past

chairman of the Northwest Japanese Young People's Christian Conference, is to lead us in our group singing with Mrs. Shizuo Yamada accompanying at the piano. Solo numbers will be presented by Lucille Ellis, harpist; Roger Lindell, vocalist and Victor Nutley, trumpeter. Others participating in the program will be Calvin Douglas, president of our Seattle Christian Youth Council; Iene Smith, general chairman of the breakfast; Leona Peterson; Will Brown and Will Pascoe.

This, briefly, is our program. However, let someone become concerned about another program feature, may I say that the committee promises a very delicious breakfast.

Services In Community

TURA--Thank you, Waka. I know a large number of our young Christian people of the city will be interested in the Easter breakfast meeting. Now, Arthur, will you tell us something about the Japanese Community participation in the general Easter program?

ART--Thank you, Tura. In all Christian churches in our Japanese Community, Easter is observed with special programs, participated in chiefly by children and young people.

Story of the Japanese Community services will be found on page 4.

TURA--Thank you Art, and now we shall hear once more from Miss ApeL.

APEL--Certainly there has never been a time when mankind so needed a vital and living faith in a Risen Christ as it does at this moment.

Hate, despair, greed, paganism, materialism, and ignorance are paralyzing the hearts of men.

It may be true that the "Lights are going out all over the world," but one Light shines on us--dimmed, the Light that streams from the Cross--The Light which has been carried across the centuries of time by a living Christ. Those who have dared to follow the cross of Good Friday on into the Easter morn have found a faith and hope which gives us strength and courage to face life as it is and come through victorious. He who dares to follow the Christ does find eternal laying hold of things eternal.

Despair turns into confidence; gloom vanishes in a new found hope. Shadows give way to light, darkness turns to day. Christmorn brings that kind of hope to a dark and discouraged world. They did not kill Him; they could not. He is risen and He lives, and if we seek Him we shall find Him.

On January 1, 1940, there were 32,245,000 persons living on farms of the United States. The estimated increase over 1939 was 138,000.

bouquet . . .

By KAZUE

Lifting to the spirits is the fresh Spring season . . . In days gone by the antidote for that nostalgic touch of Spring fever was sulphur and molasses, but today's cure is a much more pleasant and frivolous one.

In the Spring, just as a young man's fancy turns to lighter things, the feminine element in the population joins hands with Dame Fashion and goes on a gala shopping spree . . . a new bouffant, a new suit, a new coat, a new dress . . . and a new lease on life is taken.

Brightening the Easter parade this Spring will be Mrs. Masaru Uno who has selected a tailored three-piece suit of beige and brown; the suit is made of beige tropical suiting and the coat is of brown plaid; a gray blue covert cloth suit will be worn by Miss Elva Shinozaki, on Easter morn, with which she will wear a coccanut straw hat and brown accessories; Miss Chiye Horiechi selects the perennial favorite, navy blue--her suit is of navy and with it she will wear a white Breton sailor; Miss Sachiko Ochi has chosen a steel-blue dressy fitted coat with which she will wear a black felt toque which is a jaunty white flower and veil and her accessories will be black patent; a navy blue red-dingote and a bright print dress will be the choice of Mrs. Richard Nomura on Easter day--her accessories will be navy.

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Pink Tea



Orange blossoms . . . in the glow of tapering candles atop candelabra . . . Miss Ayako Doi, of Bothell, and Mr. Noboru Yamada, will exchange wedding vows next Saturday night, April 19, at 8 o'clock at the Calvary Baptist Church. The Rev. Lester Pugh will officiate at the nuptials.

Miss Doi is the daughter of Mr. A. Doi, of Bothell, and Mr. Yaraada is the son of Mr. and Mrs. T. Yamada.

Attendants for the bride will be Mrs. Howard Sakura, of Eatonville, matron of honor, and Mrs. Charles Furuta, of Kent, and Miss Yoshiko Doi, sister of the bride, who will be bridesmaid. Little Miss Jo Ann Uyeda will be the junior bridesmaid, while Master Bryan Uyeda will serve as ring-bearer.

Best man for the bridegroom will be Mr. Kiyoshi Tada, while the Messrs. Sumio Mochizuki and Masabu Yamada, the latter a brother of the bridegroom, will usher.

A reception will follow at the Kin Ka Low.

Crocheting session . . . With the return home of Miss Melvina Andrews, a student at Linfield College in McMinnville, Oregon, for the Spring vacation, a coterie of friends met at the home of Miss Kimiko Watanabe Tuesday night for an informal gathering. Crocheting, chatting and enjoying refreshments were on the program. In addition to the hostess and Miss Andrews, were the Misses Katsu Watanabe, Bessie Inouye, Shizuko Takakoshi, Toshiko Nezu, Betty Jean Andrews, Aki Nezu, and Toshiko Watanabe.

Having fun . . . With not just business in the order of the evening's gathering, a group of marions who regularly meet together convened Monday night at the residence of Mrs. Harold Nickerson, with a social topping off the evening with a social topping of the evening. Present were the Madames James M. Hara, Iwao Hara, Richard Nomura, George Okuda, Arthur Sasaki, Alexander McGregor, Frank McCartney, and Peggy Hauschild.

Hospitality . . . Hostess at a dinner party last Sunday at Gyokko Ken was Mrs. F. Kumisuru who entertained members of the World Wide Guild Tour which was held last year. It was in the nature of a "welcome home" for the Misses Mariko Kunasaka and Tomie Kunisuga who just recently returned. Others present were the Misses Emi Masusaka, Grayce Sakura and Mrs. Masaru Uno.

On a Sunday afternoon . . . Moving to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mickie Dodobara, in Kent, last Sunday were the following guests of the couple. Present were the Misses Asako Kodama, Mame Kawasaki, Elva Shinozaki, Chiye Kurose, Misao and Mariye Morimoto, Harue Sao and Suni Shiota.

Stork bundle . . . Tiny garments for the soon-to-be arriving infant were showered upon Mrs. George Kambe, adviser of the Garfield High School Girl Reserves by members of the group who surprised her Tuesday night at her home. Present were the Misses Carol and May Date, Keiko Kurose, Amy Hidaka, Taiko Kurimura, Marian Tomita, Utoko Tajitsu, Beatrice Yasunobu, Yoito Tada, Katherine Sugawara, Arie Yoshiko, Nancy Oaaka, Ruth Yoshitomi, Makiko Takahashi, Miye Hata, Katsuko Fujikao, Hanako Arase, Toshiko Kikrit, and Mrs. Richard Nomura, former adviser of the group.

Co-ed friends . . . Hostess at luncheon last Saturday noon to her university friends was Miss Shizuko Higuchi. Guests included the Misses Lily Yorozu, Yoshie Fujihira, Tai Inui, Aya Sakamoto, Fumiko Takano, Chiyoko Okino, Sachie and Fumi Fukudage.

PARAMOUNT--Glamorous Rio comes to life with one of the finest films presented at this showcase for some time. It is "That Night in Rio," and features Alice Faye, Don Ameche and Carmen Miranda. With such talent the picture should be good, and it is. It's billed as the 1941 glamour musical from the studio that produced among other things, "Down Argentine Way," that was such a success. Extra picture is Lloyd Nolan in "Sleepers West."

CRPHEM--At this playhouse the great Bette Davis is winning applause by telling "The Great Lie" and getting away with it. Others in the cast are George Brent, Mary Astor, Lucille Watson and Hattie McDaniel. It's directed by Edmund Goulding. "Strange Alibi" is given.

FIFTH AVENUE--The thrilling sequel to "Boys Town," with the same stars and director, is here. It's called "Men of Boys Town," and presents Spencer Tracy, Mickey Rooney and others. Also Guy Kibbee in "Scattergood Baines."

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Forewells . . . Returning to Japan aboard the Hei Maru Monday afternoon were two Seattleites who only recently returned to the city. Embarking were Miss Hannah Kosaka and Mr. Henry Goshio.

House warming . . . Gift laden, friends of Mrs. Tatsuo Ida surprised her Thursday night at home with a house-warming party. Friends included the Messdames Yone Ota, Norio Wakamotura, George Kambe, Richard Nomura, T. Umino, Minoru Masuda, Arthur Sasaki, Sam Kozu, John Kanetomi.

Five candles atop a cake . . . Tajji Takayoshi, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tomaku Takayoshi, celebrated a happy birthday last Saturday. His guests included the Misses Mitsuko Ishihara, Kazuko Takayoshi, Luana Hasegawa and the Masters Seiichi Ishihara, Yoshiro Takayoshi.

Teens party . . . An informal and jolly party is in store for classmates of Mr. Henry Inouye who will be his guests at a party this Saturday night at his home. Invited are the Misses Tomiko Koba, Beverly Nishimura, Jane Suguro, Rose Takahara, Martha Fukuma, Fusaoko Tsuji, Minnie Nakashima, Nao Okuda, Betty Aoki; the Messrs. Yukio Yamauchi, Kay Fujikado, Joshua Hata, Edo Sasaki, Fred Yasunaga, Tasuku Shoji, Edwin Horiechi, Haruto Sekijima, Takeko Shimizu, Naomi Kuwahara.

Dinner parties . . . Hostess to Mr. and Mrs. John Fujita and the Misses Alice Hashitani and Miyako Makuuchi, at dinner Thursday, was Miss Junko Hamada . . . Mr. and Mrs. Shizuo Yamada entertained Mr. and Mrs. Jun Watanabe and Mr. Min Kanazawa the latter part of last week.

Easter party . . . Thursday night and Friday afternoon were happy occasions indeed for students of Miss Sachiko Ochi, music teacher, who was hostess at parties the two days. The following were feted Thursday; the Misses Yoshiko Shitamae, Katherine Sugawara, Miye Hata, Amy Hara, Jeanne Arai, Akiko Saito, Suma Kato, Miye Yamagishi, Beatrice Takouchi, Taeko Hanakata, Katsuko Fujikado, Helen Yorozu, Teruko Takano, Helen Inui, Amy Hidaka, Hana Hasegawa, Sumiko Hasegawa, Shizuo Sato, Atsuko Shimizu, Jane Yamashita; Miyo Inouye, Kimiko and Toshiko Nagamatsu . . . Junior misses complimented Friday afternoon included the Misses Kiyoko Kanda, Yoneko Kanda, Gladys and Dorothy Sugawara, Ruth Nomura, Margaret Yamamura, Kimi Yamagishi, Tomiko Hashizume, Kazuko Kawahara, Mary Okazaki, Toshiko Watanabe.

Welcome to Seattle! . . . Honeymooning in the Northwest, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tan of San Francisco were visitors in the city this week . . . Back in her hometown for a visit was Mrs. Hito Okada of Portland, and her little daughter, Miss Carolyn Miesko; they returned to the Rose City Tuesday afternoon . . . From San Luis Obispo, California, the Misses Mary and Nancy Eto and Mr. Masaji Eto arrived last Sunday. Miss Iku Nishikawa was hostess to the trio and other guests at a dinner party this week at the Italian Village. Others present were Miss Margaret Hisayasu, whose engagement was recently announced to Mr. Masaji Eto, and Mr. Sumio Masumoto . . . Mr. Taul Watanabe, student of Willamette University in Oregon, is spending his Spring vacation in the city as houseguest of Mr. and Mrs. Shizuo Yamada.

Thank you! . . . Victorious Kwasuante basketball

# J. HORI'S TRIPLE WINS AA TUSSELE FOR WHITE RIVER

Waseda Loses 2nd Straight Game; Fife Nippons Down Bellevue

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Fife Nippons	2	0	1.000
Comets	1	0	1.000
White River	1	1	.500
Eatonville	0	0	.000
Waseda	0	2	.000
Bellevue	0	2	.000

Fife Nippons and White River pushed Bellevue and Waseda deeper down in the cellar as the double-aye circuit completed its second week of play. The Eatonville-Comets tilt was postponed on account of wet field.

## WHITE RIVER 16 WASEDA 14

Jack Hori, who relieved George Fujimoto, won his own game in the ninth when his sharp grounder to the third baseman drove over the winning runs.

With the score standing 14 to 13 in favor of the Seattle nine, Johnny Okamoto singled, while Sam Iwasaki walked. Chuck Nakauchi sacrificed to advance the runners into scoring territory. After Hasegawa was safe on an error, Jack Hori bounced one off third baseman's foot which went over the screen, and before the ball was retrieved Hori was standing on third with the winning runs over the plate.

Waseda tallied early in the game to pile up a 10 to 1 lead in the third when five base hits off Fujimoto pushed over 8 runs. White River got back in the game in the eighth when errors and walks were responsible for 8 Valley runs.

## FIFE NIPPONS 16 BELLEVUE 5

With Nobu Yoshida striking out 12 batters, Fife Nippons outdid Bellevue to score a 16 to 5 win at Bellevue. The heavy Fife bats pounded out 13 solid hits, including a homer by Sakahara in the first inning.

Fife's big inning came in the second when the Bellevue infielders booted the ball and timely hits by Yoshida, Takeuchi and Kasai brought over 8 runs.

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# BILL SKIFF: New Manager of Seattle Rainiers



## RAINIERS TO MAKE FIRST SEATTLE APPEARANCE ON TUESDAY, APRIL 22

Manager Bill Skiff, who succeeds the late Jake Levitt, will bring the Rainiers home for their first game at Sick's Seattle Stadium on Tuesday, April 22, when they entertain the colorful Sacramento Solons.

The Sacramento nine will be under the management of fiery Pepper Martin, former star of the St. Louis Cardinals.

The Rainiers have been almost unbeatable in pre-season exhibition games, having won ten of thirteen starts, many of them against such teams as the Philadelphia Athletics and the Pittsburgh Tigers.

## W. R. JRS. TRIP HAWKS, 13 TO 6

White River Juniors won their second straight game of the season by defeating White River Hawks by a 13 to 6 score.

Tsujikawa and Sakazaki, Hawks pitchers, issued 16 base on balls to aid the victors.

## SOUTH PARK 9 TIGERS 6

A 6-run attack in the first inning proved to be the winning margin as South Park won its second game in three starts by a 9 to 6 score.

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# BASEBALL TENNIS GOLF BOWLING BOXING

## COURIER BASEBALL:

### Frank Yama Picks Sunday's Ball Winners

**Predictions . . .**  
PREDICT-O-GRAM  
Right Wrong Pct.  
H. H. 8 4 .666  
Frank Yama . . . . .  
Total 8 4 .666

**CRYSTAL GAZER . . .** The above statistics show that your lead-off man, H. H. has picked 8 winners out of 12 for an average of .666. Coming up to bat for this Sunday's games is your guest Crystal Gazer, Frank Yama of the Comets, while H. H. will pitch the questions to him. Here are Frank Yama's choices:

**CLASS AA**  
Waseda has a hard-hitting ball club and should win over Bellevue. Eatonville is a new team in the AA fold and will not be a match against a more experienced team from the White River Valley. Although Fife Nippons and Cadets are both undefeated teams up to date, a nod goes to the defending champions.

**CLASS AYE**  
Lotus Lancers, Olympiad Plebes, Waseda Marmots, Tacoma Bussels and White River are Yama's choices for tomorrow's winners in the Aye class. If these come true, Plebes will be out in front with 4 straight games, while Marmots and Tacoma Bussels will be the other undefeated teams.

**CLASS BEE**  
In the featured game, White River Tigers meet Lotus Ashuras at Orilla. The Valley nine is out in front with 3 straight games, while the Bakky swatters follow with 2 wins. A pitching duel between George Iwasaki of Tigers and Nobu Shimizu of

## IWASAKI PITCHES W. R. TO 3RD WIN

**CLASS B STANDINGS**

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
W. R. Tigers	3	0	1.000
Lotus Ashuras	2	0	1.000
Kibel Ginsels	1	1	.500
Tacoma Cubs	1	1	.500
Fife Jrs.	1	1	.500
Panthers	1	2	.333
Koshows	0	2	.000
Taiyo	0	2	.000

**W. R. TIGERS 6 TACOMA CUBS 3**  
George Iwasaki again proved to be the pitching master as he held Tacoma Cubs to a lone single by Hikaru Kimura. The White River right-hander retired 14 batters with the third strike route.

However, the game went into an extra inning before the deciding runs were scored. In the first of 10th inning, four successive blows by Utsurogi, Arai, Hamada and Iwasaki pushed over 3 runs for the Valley nine.

**LOTUS ASHURAS 9 FIFE JRS. 3**  
Nobu Shimizu held Fife batters to 3 scattered hits as Ashuras won the tilt at Garfield by a 9 to 3 score.

Three homers featured the game. Pat Osaka connected one in the second, while Isamu Morimoto and Nobu Shimizu were the Lotus fence busters. In the other B class game, Panthers beat Taiyo by an 11 to 2 score at Garfield.

**BASEBALL NOTICES**  
THEY MERIT PRAISES  
Honor roll of Courier managers who have been sending in very neat game reports: Sam Watanabe, Sumner; John Kawaguchi, Cadets; Frank Yama, Comets; Henry Morio, Kibel; Frank Hamada, W. R. Tigers; Mas Hattori, Tacoma Bussels; Takashi Hangai, Auburn Cubs; Sam Higurashi, South Park; and Walchi Kawai, Tacoma Bussels.

The league secretary wishes to thank Tatsuo Yonetani of White River Bussels for the complete up-to-date batting average of the team.

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## SATO PITCHES 9-0 GAME FOR PLEBES

Olympiad Club Wins Third Straight; Marmots, Sumner Unbeaten

**CLASS A STANDINGS**

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Olympiad Plebes	3	0	1.000
Sumner	2	0	1.000
Waseda Marmots	2	0	1.000
Tacoma Bussels	1	0	1.000
Cavaliers	1	1	.500
Lotus Lancers	1	1	.500
Auburn	0	1	.000
Taiyo	0	1	.000
Tacoma Nippons	0	2	.000
Green Lake	0	2	.000
White River	0	2	.000

Olympiad Plebes definitely established themselves as the team to beat in the Aye class with a shutout win over Tacoma Nippons last Sunday. Plebes are out in front with three straight wins, while Sumner and Waseda Marmots trail without a setback in two starts.

**OLYMPIAD PLEBES 9 TACOMA NIPPONS 0**  
Nobi Sato handcuffed Plebes for 7 innings to give Plebes their third win of the season. The Seattle hurler struckout 12 Tacoma batters.

The Olympiad club pounced on Min Tsuchimochi for 7 runs in the second inning when the Tacoma pitcher lost control and issued 4 walks and was touched for 4 base hits. Relief tosser Min Nakamura held the victors to 2 runs in the remaining innings.

**CAVALIERS 5 GREEN LAKE 4**  
Cavaliers eked out a 5 to 4 win over Green Lake at Brighton to land in the upper division of the standings. Cavaliers outdid the Lakers, 10 to 7.

Tak Kuranishi found himself in trouble in the sixth when Haruo Kimakura and Kallio Suguro got on the bases on a double and a single. Then, with Rik Tanaguchi and Fred Ito on the bags, Kuranishi retired the next three batters via the strikeout route.

**MARMOTS 5 TAIYO 1**  
With Tsuneo Hidaka pitching 4-hit ball, Waseda Marmots took Taiyo into camp by winning a 5 to 1 game at Columbia. Marmots are unbeaten in two starts.

**TACOMA BUSSELS 9 LOTUS LANCERS 4**  
Diminutive George Akimoto relieved Kaz Horita in the second inning and shutout the Seattle nine for the remainder of the game to give Tacoma a 9 to 4 win over Lancers.

**SUMNER 14 WHITE RIVER 6**  
Sumner continued its batting spree to down White River Bussels by a 14 to 6 score at Thomas.

**FACING THE PITCH . . .**  
Kawamura, Taiyo left fielder, enjoys a perfect day at plate with 3 straight singles. John Asahara, Sumner pitcher, collected 4 for 4 with his bingles. Shig Kaseguma of Plebes was the other perfect batter with 2 singles. Yukio Kasai of Fife Nippons collects 3 singles and a double in 5 trips to the plate. Johnny Okimoto, White River lead-off man, topped with 3 singles and a double in 6 trips.

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## Kenji Yaguchi Wins 3rd State Mat Title

FIFE, April 10.—Kenji Yaguchi, Fife 115-pounder, won his third successive state high school wrestling title at the University last Saturday afternoon.

In the same meet, Kiyoshi Kinoshita of Stadium threw Jerry Kikuchi of Lincoln for the 105-pound crown. George Morinoro and Hiroshi Yaguchi, other Fife entries in the 95- and 125-pound classes lost in the finals.

## WESTERN GIANTS TO FACE OILERS

Japanese Nine to Compete in 8-Team Puget Sound Loop

When the Puget Sound League opens this Sunday, Western Giants, 1940 Fourth of July tournament champs, will meet Pacific Oil nine at Garfield No. 2 field from 4 p. m.

Coach Tommy Sakai announced today that he plans to send his three ace pitchers, Taiji Takayoshi, Hiro Nishimura and George Kimura, against the hard-hitting opponents.

Western Giants are newcomers to this league. Last season, the Western Avenue nine competed in the Courier AA loop, finishing tied for third. In the Northwest tournament, Western Giants walked off with the trophy by defeating Waseda.

The probable starting lineup will find Grant Kataoka behind the home plate, Shiro Yamaguchi at first, Su Taguchi at second, Johnny Kusakabe at short, Toshi Nishimura at third, Frank Yoshitake at left, Sholchi Suyama at center, and George Okamura at right.

The Puget Sound League is an eight-team loop with such teams as Ballard, Teamsters and Colored Giants included in the list. The League will play two complete rounds with the first round drawing for Western Giants as follows:

April 13—Pacific Oil.  
April 20—Ballard Boosters.  
April 27—Teamsters.  
May 4—Napier and Scott.  
May 11—Aero-Mechanics.  
May 18—Seattle Transit.  
May 25—Colored Giants.

According to Al Bridgman of the Rose & Bridgman Sporting Goods store, the winning team of the loop will enter the Seattle Times' State Semi-Pro tournament.

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## BERKELEY OHTANI TO SEEK PACIFIC COAST YBA TITLE

California State Champions To Meet Northwest Basketballers

Tosh Nishimura, local Bussel athletic manager, today announced that Berkeley Ohtani, newly-crowned California State YBA champions, will head for the Northwest late this month to vie in a Pacific Coast title game.

Tad Hirota, NC Jau president, stated in a telegram message that the Berkeley five, which won the CYBL crown last week by defeating Los Angeles Wanlies in a state tournament, has accepted to meet the Northwest champs.

The Coast championship tilt will be played in Seattle in conjunction with the National Buddhist Convention to be held on April 25, 26 and 27.

Tonight, at Collins Fieldhouse, Tacoma Bussels and Portland will meet to decide which team will face Lotus Troys for the Northwest title.

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### EASTER SERVICES WILL SHOW SPIRIT OF RISEN CHRIST

Community Churches To Pay Annual Tribute; Programs Have Wide Variety

#### SPECIAL MUSIC SLATED

In conjunction with the city-wide Easter observance, special services will be conducted by the churches in the Japanese Community tomorrow.

#### CONGREGATIONAL

Japanese Congregational Church: 5:30 a. m., Easter Sunrise service with Green Lake Congregational Church and Negro Group, at Seward Park; 7:30 a. m., Easter breakfast at church with Mrs. Jesse Hurley as guest speaker, and Thomas Okabe, chairman; 10 a. m., Sunday School program—one-act playlet and recitations; 11 a. m., Communion Service; 8 p. m., Easter drama, "The Terrible Meek" enacted in radio style presentation, including in the cast Rose Soyajima and Miyo Inouye; special music will be provided by Mariko Mukai, vocalist, and Kazuko Tajitsu, violinist.

#### ST. PETER'S MISSION

St. Peter's Japanese Mission: 6:30 a. m., Holy Communion, with the celebrant, the Rev. Daisuke Kitagawa; 8 a. m., Easter breakfast; 9:30 a. m., Church school; 11 a. m., Holy Communion, with the Rev. H. H. Gowen, assisted by the Rev. Kitagawa; 7:30 p. m., Vesper service, conducted by the Rev. Kitagawa.

#### JAPANESE METHODIST

Japanese Methodist Church: 5 a. m., Sunrise service at Volunteer Park; 7 a. m., young people of the church will have a joint Easter breakfast with members of the First Methodist Church, at First Church, with Dr. Ashlon of Seattle Pacific College, the main speaker; 10 a. m., Sunday School Easter program, prelude, Yoko Tada; call to worship; prayer and response; program, recitation, "It's Easter" by Beginners; exercise, "Jesus" by Primary 1; exercise, "Jesus Lives Today," by Primary 2; songs by Beginners and Primary, "Easter Day," and "Resurrection Story," by recitation, "Why Easter?" by Primary 3 boys; exercise, "Easter In Different Lands" by Junior 1 girls; pantomime, "Jesus Lover Of My Soul" by Primary 3 girls; male quartet, "Were You There?"; Awards; special music by Starlets chorus, "This Glad Easter Day" by Dickinson; closing hymn and prayer.

#### JAPANESE BAPTIST

Japanese Baptist Church: 9:45 a. m., Sunday School program, with baptismal service to be conducted by the Rev. Emery E. Andrews; 11 a. m., Okazaki class and BYPU, with guest speaker; 12:45 m., Church Luncheon, to be prepared by the Women's Club of the Church; 2 p. m., Youth Rally at the Baptist Woman's Home, to be held jointly with the South Park young people who will be in charge, and with the Rev. Samuel F. Nelson, assistant pastor of the University Baptist Church and Baptist student counselor at the university, the guest speaker; 4 p. m., Fellowship Hour, with the Seattle BYPU, at the Japanese Baptist Church; 5 p. m., Supper at the church, with the Bellevue group in charge; 7:30 p. m., presentation of Easter drama, "The Way Of Life" by young adults. In the Easter play, which is directed by Mrs. George Kasahara, are Grace Sakura, Satoshi Hoshi, Katsumi Takakoshi, Delores Aoki, and Kazuko Masumoto. Preceding the presentation of the play, a worship service includes special music by Florence Ito, vocalist, with Mrs. Masaru Uno chairman of the evening program.

#### PRESBYTERIAN

Japanese Presbyterian Church: 8 a. m., Easter breakfast; 11:15 a. m., Easter morning service, with Rev. Kodaira in charge, and 7:30 p. m., Easter worship service with songs and recitations.

#### MARYKNOLL EASTER

At the Maryknoll Church, Holy Week was observed starting Thursday with special services conducted by Father J. F. Swift. Tomorrow at 9 a. m. Solemn High Mass will be sung by children, as prescribed by the Church Liturgy for Easter.

### Library Progress Subject Next Week For Courier Radio

Fifty years of progress with the Seattle Public Library will be told over the air when four well-known citizens of Seattle speak on The Courier "Let's Get Acquainted" program over KXA, 770 Kilo, next Thursday from 10 p. m. to 10:30 p. m.

The four to speak will be Mrs. A. J. Quigley, president of the library's board of trustees; Clarence T. Aral, vice-president and attorney; Miss Augusta Anderson one of the oldest members in the local library service, and Miss Sonia Wennerblad, librarian at the Yesler Way branch.

### STUDENTS' DANCE WILL SET RECORD

#### University Club Plans For Throng At Affair; Sports Theme Will Rule

Advance ticket sales for the Spring Swing sports dance of the Japanese Students Club of the University of Washington April 13 at Furo's Ballroom have reached such proportions that the management can forecast a record-breaking attendance.

Cecil Smith's "mellow-swing" orchestra has been secured to render the music. Smith's band is considered one of the top-notch groups in the Northwest. Definitely a union organization, the members of this smooth outfit have been playing together for years. They'll give forth with distinctive swing in a mellow style.

Tickets are being sold by club members, and will be obtainable at the gate. Prices are, 60 cents for men, 15 cents for women, and 75 cents a couple. State and federal taxes are included.

Corsages for the women will be taboo. Speeches, entertainment and other activities will be barred, in order to give the dancers the full time.

A special price has been set for draftees and their dates. Boys in uniform will be admitted for 9 cents or 12 cents a couple, and special attention will be given those who "stag" it.

### Choirs Will Present "The Messiah" Music

A skilled musical performance, presenting numbers from Handel's oratorio, "The Messiah," will be undertaken by the Mixed Choir and the Starlets Chorus of the Japanese Methodist Church at the evening Easter worship service, which starts at 7:45 p. m. At this time, under the direction of Mrs. Iwao Hara, director of the choirs, and accompanied by Mrs. Shizuo Yamada, pianist, six Easter numbers from the "Messiah" will be sung. The numbers are "Behold The Lamb," "Surely He Has Borne Our Grief," "Lift Up Your Head," "Since By Man Came Death," "Worthy Is The Lamb," "Halleluiah," and they all pertain to the Easter story, prophecy, birth, death and resurrection.

The service, which is open to the public, also includes as guest speaker, Dwight C. Ramage, field secretary of the Seattle Council of Churches, who will speak on the "Music Of Life."

Will Hunter, assistant pastor, will be the chairman.

### Beethoven Symphony Subject For Speech

"Symphonic Form," will be discussed and illustrated with recordings of Beethoven's Fifth Symphony by Michiko Morita, accomplished pianist, at the regular monthly meeting of the Fuyo Kai Alumnae, this coming Wednesday night.

The meeting, which will be held at the residence of Mrs. Minoru Masuda, 1902 Jackson St., from 8 o'clock, will be presided over by Michi Yasumura, vice president. In the absence of Mrs. Juro Yoshio, president. Refreshments will be served following the meeting.

Aeolian Society members are reminded of the monthly meeting to be held Tuesday night at the residence of Michiko Morita at which time she will discuss the "Structure of a Symphony," illustrating her talk with recordings of Beethoven's Fifth Symphony.

### SEATTLE LIBRARY VIEWS FUTURE ON 50TH ANNIVERSARY

City-Wide Celebration Set For April 20-25; History Has Been Colorful

#### YESLER TO ENTERTAIN

A city-wide celebration of the 50th Anniversary of the Seattle Public Library will be held the week of April 20-25. The central library at 20th Avenue and Spring Street will hold open house the entire week, and visitors will be conducted on tours of the building.

On Friday, April 25, the branch libraries are having programs during the afternoon and evening which the public is invited to attend.

The Yesler Branch Library is having a tea from 2 to 5 o'clock in the afternoon, and an open house from 7 to 9 in the evening. Emil Ludwig, biographer and historian, will speak at the Metropolitan Theatre April 22 under the auspices of the Friends of the Seattle Public Library.

#### Started By Women

The Seattle Public Library, founded by the Ladies Library Association, first opened its doors to the public on April 8, 1891 in rooms on the third floor of the Occidental Block (now the Seattle Hotel). In 1898 it was moved to the Yesler mansion which stood on the grounds now occupied by the County-City building. A fire destroyed the Yesler mansion and library on January 1, 1901. The few thousand books that were saved were housed temporarily in the Yesler barn, and then moved to the old Territorial University building which served as a library until 1906 when the present building at Fourth Avenue and Spring Street was erected.

#### Gift From Andrew Carnegie

The City of Seattle purchased the site for \$100,000 and guaranteed annual maintenance for a public library. A gift of \$220,000 from Andrew Carnegie made possible the building of the new library.

Since its beginning in 1891 the library has grown steadily. Then, there were 4 employees and 6,567 volumes in the library; in 1940 there were 184 employees and 540,330 volumes. There are at present 14 departments in the library system, and 11 branches. The Seattle library is entirely tax supported, and its share of the 40-mill tax is less than one-tenth of a mill (.0903).

With popular demand for increase of services it has now become necessary that the central library be enlarged, that at least five new branch libraries be built, and that special book collections and services be developed.

### Miss Nakata Elected To Campus Honorary

Among the co-eds on the University of Washington campus who were recently elected to the Totem Club, underclass women's activities honorary, was Miss Chiyo Nakata, a junior. Miss Nakata, in addition to being an officer in the Fuyo Kai, is also active on the international committee of the YWCA.

The only other American student on the campus who is a member is Yoshie Fujihira, retiring president of the Fuyo Kai.

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### GROUPS BAPTISED BY TWO FATHERS

#### Maryknoll Church Takes In Young People After They Receive Ceremony

As new members of the Maryknoll Church, some 14 young people were baptized by Father L. H. Tibesar and Father J. F. Swift on last Saturday and on Thursday of this week.

Those who were baptized by Father Tibesar last Saturday were: Chizuko, Mary, George, Henry and Betty Ikeda, children of Mr. and Mrs. John Ikeda, 4245 Graham St.; Tomiko Fujino, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mitsu-royo Fujino, 815 Hlawatha Place; Roy and June Watanabe, children of Mr. and Mrs. Masashi Watanabe, 160 15th Ave.; Marie Sakamoto, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Y. Sakamoto, 157 15th Ave.; George LaGasca, son of Mr. and Mrs. LaGasca, 543 16th Ave.; Tatsuo Nakano, son of Mr. and Mrs. Shunji Nakano, 616 1/2 Lane St.

Those baptized by Father Swift were: William Ishii, son of Mrs. Roby Gunzo Ishii, 3232 23rd Ave. W.; Ikuko Hara, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jitsuzo Hara, 813 1/2 King St.; Violet LaGasca, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. LaGasca, 543 16th Ave.

### Father Swift Helps For Father Tibesar

To take Father L. H. Tibesar's place temporarily, Father John Francis Swift arrived here last week from the Maryknoll Church in Los Angeles.

Father Tibesar, who has been in ill health for the past several months, and who was released from the hospital, was ordered by his doctor to take a rest. Father Swift was formerly stationed in Korea and Dairen with Father Tibesar.

### Music Lovers Await Recital By Tajitsu

Music lovers in the Community are looking forward to the recital to be given April 25 at the First Methodist Church by Miss Kazuko Tajitsu under the auspices of the First Methodist Church choir. The young violinist has appeared in concerts all along the Coast.

The violinist will be accompanied by Helen Wilson Strauss, and the church choir will assist. The program includes numbers from prominent composers.

Join the JAACL. It can be your organization just as much as that of the next person's.

### VITAL TOPICS AT GREAT CONFAB OF YOUNG BUDDHISTS

Panel Sessions And Oratorical Will Highlight Big National Convention

#### MAYOR MILLIKIN ASKED

With Mayor Earl Millikin scheduled to extend greetings, the arrangements committee is completing plans for the Second National convention of the Young Buddhist League to be held in Seattle, April 24-27.

Councilwoman F. F. Powell has accepted an invitation to attend the dinner dance Saturday evening at the Civic Auditorium. Thursday is a day of registration and arrangements. The convention will formally open Friday, with a flag-raising ceremony. General assembly is set for 10:30 a. m. Chairman, Takao Yoshihara, Tacoma.

Two Events For Friday  
The two big events of the day are oratorical contest and the panel discussion. The discussion is divided into women's and men's divisions.

Women's-Topic, Toward Better Living. Chairman, Fumiko Shitamae, Seattle. Speakers: Jean Mori, Watsonville; Mrs. M. Morishita, Seattle; Jean Mori, Watsonville; Grace Fujino, Salinas; Ineko Yamada, Portland; Chizu Tomita, Seattle; Kiyoko Kamihira, Yakima.

Mens-Topic, Nisei's Working World. Chairman, Tokuyoshi Kawasaki, Seattle. Speakers: Salem Yagawa, Tacoma; Sumis Sakai, Wapato; James Sakamoto, Seattle.

Other speakers are to be added to the list.

Dinner Dance Listed  
A dinner dance at the Civic Auditorium Saturday night will be one of the main social events.

A pre-convention rally will be held tomorrow night at the Hokubei Butchekai.

### Hirahara Selected Students' Club Head

Newly-elected officers of the Japanese Students' Club at the University of Washington were to be installed at a banquet at 6:30 p. m., at the Gyokko Ken Friday night, after an election held on Thursday.

Davis Hirahara, a junior, succeeds Fred Kosaka as president. Other officers are: vice president, Andy Morimoto; house manager, Toru Sakahara; treasurer, Yutaka Samba; recording secretary, Kaz Shitama; corresponding secretary, George Yamaguchi; social chairman, Howard Minato; auditors, Aki Hayashi and Minoru Aoki.

Join the JAACL. It invites your membership and participation.

### Bellevue Mothers Are Sponsoring Tea For General Public

BELLEUVUE, Wash.—Bellevue Japanese Mothers Club is sponsoring a tea party for American friends on April 20 from 2 o'clock at the Association Hall. The girls will wear kimonos and serve tea. Flower arrangement exhibits will be shown. The public is cordially invited.

The Bellevue Japanese School graduation was held at the hall last Saturday from 1:30 p. m. Congratulatory speeches were given by Haruko Takeshita, George Takano, T. Yoshino, and K. Kanaya.

The following graduates received their diplomas: Eva Aramaki, Miyoko Baba, Toshio Fujimai, Masako Kanaya, Mike Mano, Miyuki Mifokawa, Minoru Muro-moto, Carol Takahashi, James Takano, Chiyo Takeshita, Yoshio Tokunaga, Betty Yabuki, and Hikaru Yoshino.

The kuyokai members are sponsoring a party for the graduates on Saturday, April 12, at the hall from 7:30 p. m.

r. and Mrs. Cano Numoto of Bellevue are the proud parents of a baby girl weighing 5 pounds 8 ounces, born March 25 at the Kirkland General Hospital. The newborn's name is Harumi Jennie. Mrs. Cano Numoto is the former May Yaguchi of Fife.

The PVCL's eleventh annual dinner will be held on the 3rd of May at the Green Parrot Inn, Tacoma.

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### Sumner People Get Co-operative Store

SUMNER, Wash.—As the first co-operative merchandising venture among Japanese growers in the Northwest, the Farmers' Supply Co. will have its grand opening here from April 15 to 30.

The new enterprise is to be operated by the Puget Sound Vegetable Growers' Association, and will deal with farm machinery, implements, insecticides, feed, seed and other farm necessities.

During the grand opening period a coupon will be given with every dollar purchase. Among attractive gifts to be given away will be a Hot Point Refrigerator valued at \$179, Hot Point Washing Machine valued at \$39, and three \$10 each lawn mowers.

### Town Meeting Scans Problems For Youth

FIFE, Wash.—The Puyallup Valley JAACL conducted a successful "town meeting" Wednesday evening at the Firwood Japanese Language school. The complex problems facing the two generations were thrashed out, with Toru Sakahara and Lefty Sasaki acting as chairmen.

Among the speakers were James Y. Sakamoto, editor and publisher of The Courier; Mr. Sakahara and Mr. Yotsuye of Fife and Mr. Morimizu of Sumner. Ray Yamamoto was the second generation resource leader.

Mr. Sakamoto stressed the opportunity for the youth in Agriculture.

The PVCL's eleventh annual dinner will be held on the 3rd of May at the Green Parrot Inn, Tacoma.

### Out-of-Town News

#### Puyallup Leaguers Gain New Members After Warm Contest

By Tadako Tamura  
FIFE, Wash.—Under the leadership of the three district vice presidents, the Puyallup Valley JAACL completed a very successful membership drive this week.

The Fife-Firwood-Puyallup districts were headed by Dyke Itami, and his team included Masao Yaguchi, Dorothy Sakamoto, Pete Nishikawa, Taxi Kurimoto, Issamu Uchida, Taeko Sakahara, Edith Yamamoto, Fumi Yoshida, Yoshio Fujita, Mitsuko Kawasaki and Hideko Dogen; Sumner district—Betty Sato, leader, Mike Kamachi, Tom Shigeo, Mosti Kiyohara, Mabel Nomura and Mary Kubota, and the Alderton-Orting districts—Tadako Sasaki, leader, Pete and Johnny Sasaki and Tadashi Sasaki.

Bill Mizukami was a member of the Fife High School team of four which won the 1941 Safety Quiz championship trophy sponsored by the Young Men's Business Club of Tacoma. The presentation was made by Mayor Harry P. Cain, and brought to a successful climax the weekly series of radio quiz programs based on traffic questions which was a part of the eight-week campaign conducted by the YMBC to curb traffic accidents.

Each member of the winning team also received an automatic pen and pencil set.

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